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Legacy Authorizations

Within the next few weeks the legacy authorization functionality of CMS Net will be deactivated. Currently legacy authorizations should only be issued for orthodontic services for children who started a course of orthodontic treatment prior to the SAR implementation. When legacy authorization functionality is deactivated the CMS Net Help Desk can be contacted for assistance with authorization of orthodontics in the few remaining cases in which legacy authorizations are required to complete the CCS client's course of orthodontics. If you are currently issuing legacy authorizations to providers for services other than for orthodontic services you should advise these providers that in the future new authorizations will be only issued as SARs. We will provide notice of the deactivation date for legacy authorizations when that date is determined.